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Applicant: DEFREES-PARROTT ET AL.
Serial No: 10/091,822
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Docket No. TPG 10600

Group Art Unit: 3714
Examiner: A. Rada
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For: Gaming Machine With Active Pay Table And Method

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 30, 2004 requiring restriction to either claims 1-14, drawn to a gaming machine, or claims 15-24, drawn to a gaming device having a bonus, the Applicants respectfully elect the following claims for examination:

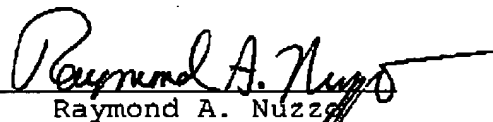
Claims 1-14, drawn to a gaming machine.

A Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months and the appropriate fee are submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

July 28, 2004

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